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Puanani Rogers	Ho`okipa Network - Kauai	Support	No

Comments:

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Shane Sinenci	Aha Moku Hana	Support	No

Comments: I support HCR142, in funding the Aha Moku System to the Department of Land and Natural Resources. In the wake of the mis-appointment of Carleton Ching by Governor Ige, it is imperative that a highly qualified candidate be elected to manage Hawaii's land bases and natural resources. No one candidate can encompass over 200 years of personal knowledge of Hawaii's resources. Hawaii's lineal descendants possess this knowledge. Fund the Aha Moku system and you will witness true environmental stewardship specifically designed to each individual district needs.

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Donna Sterling	Aha Moku O Kahikinui	Support	No

Comments: My Name is Donna Sterling, I am the Aha Moku O Kahikinui Representative. I am in support of the HCR #142 before this committee. This Resolution defines the Aha Moku Advisory Committee role of accountability of financial records in an appropriate format as listed of the four points. This resolution will assist all mokus with clarity regarding the Aha Moku Advisory Committee in linking and creating continuity of financial information. We hope and urge this committee vote favorable in support of HCR142. Mahalo Donna Sterling

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Ulysses K Saromines	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I am testifying on behalf of Kahikinui and respectfully request that the requested information be disclosed so that all parties involved can get on and move on with their agenda's. I support the Disclosure of Financial Records as a way to find Transparency in our Dealings with Hawaiian Related Issues. So please I encourage the Committee or Council to Disclose the Information. Thank You for letting me Testify before you at this Tuesday March 24, 2015 9am Legislative Hearing on HCR142

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Sandra Herndon	Individual	Support	No

Comments: As an Aha Moku member of Kaua`i, I support a full accounting of the funding provided to the Ahu Moku Advisory Committee. It has not been made available to the general membership, and the current leader is not fully/factually representing all of the members. Mahalo nui loa for this step forward!

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Testimony of
Leimana DaMate
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Before the House Committee on
Ocean, Marine Resources and Hawaiian Affairs

Wednesday, March 25, 2015
9:00 A.M.
State Capitol, Conference Room 325

**In Consideration of
House Concurrent Resolution 142
REQUESTING A FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

HR 142 requests a financial report from the Aha Moku Advisory Committee. **The Aha Moku offers the following comments.**

The Aha Moku Advisory Committee (AMAC) was established within the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) to formally recognize the Aha Moku System and to serve in an advisory capacity to the chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural Resources (BLNR) on issues related to land and natural resources management through the aha moku system. Act 288, the Act signed into law on July 9, 2012 that created the AMAC did appropriate \$76,500. However, the nominees for the board were not confirmed by the senate until March 2013 and the AMAC was not able to become functional within DLNR until June 23, 2013. The funding appropriated for FY 2012-2013 lapsed on June 30, 2013. The Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) was able to step in and fund the FY 2013-2014 and partial funding for FY 2014-2015.

HR 142 asks for a financial report to include sources of funding, including general funds which have never been received and interdepartmental transfers which have never taken place. All expenditures are handled through the fiscal office of DLNR. Until our Appropriations Request goes through the Legislative Process, there are no projected expenditures.

While Aha Moku understands the request for this information, we feel it is premature at this time. We will have a better understanding of what our projected expenses will be once we know what our funding will be.

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Charles M. Kaaiai	Individual	Support	No

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